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## Choice Poetry.

## LONFELLOW'S POEMS.

The First and Last Productions of the Lamented Bard.

THE FIRST—AT NINE YEARS OF AGE.

MR. J. M. T. TROTT.

Mr. Trott had a temple.

And his hair was like gold.

And his eyes were like stars.

And his voice was like music.

And his heart was like fire.

And his soul was like heaven.

And his life was like a dream.

And his death was like a sigh.

And his name was like a star.

And his memory was like a light.

And his spirit was like a flame.

And his love was like a sea.

And his hope was like a bird.

And his faith was like a rock.

And his courage was like a lion.

And his strength was like a giant.

And his wisdom was like a tree.

And his knowledge was like a mine.

And his power was like a storm.

And his glory was like a sun.

And his honor was like a crown.

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## Miscellaneous.

## THE COMMERCIAL DEVIL FISH.

A Trustful and Instructive Chapter on A. T. Stewart and His Peculiar Methods.

By J. M. T. TROTT.

From the Commercial Spectator.

It is a singular fact that the man whose

fortune consisted of a few dollars and

a few cents, should have become a

practical illustration of the doctrine of "rags to riches."

After death, by having his own material remains

stolen and advertised for sale at auction to the

highest bidder, and getting out of it a

penny more than he paid for it.

The missing body, if discovered, was never

recovered, and the world's chief grief

gratitude and respect than any other man

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## A VIOLET IN THE GRASS.

By J. M. T. TROTT.

Only a violet in the grass.

Upon the border of the field.

I met a violet in the grass.

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## HOW BURRITT ESCAPED.

By J. M. T. TROTT.

A Reminiscence Told by an Ex-Papal Secretary.

A Reminiscence of the life of Burritt.

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